



**State Representative**  
**LARRY DeSHAZOR**  
**R-61st Representative District**



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**Committees:** Commerce; Education; Senior Health, Security and Retirement; Transportation

**Biography:** Republican, of Portage; born June 13, 1959; wife, Yvon; children, Ricky and Jaron, grandchild, Marissa; bachelor's degree in business administration, University of New Orleans; former team leader, State Farm Insurance; Kalamazoo County Environmental Council; Kalamazoo County Chamber of Commerce Business and Community Development Committee, Kalamazoo County Convention and Visitors Bureau Board of Directors, Portage Planning Commission, Portage Economic Development Corporation; member, six years, Portage City Council; elected to the House of Representatives, 2008; Caucus Vice Chair, 2009.

